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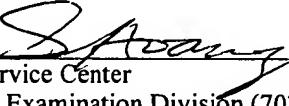
An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 740 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27).
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$450.
 - \$198 for 11 total claims over 20.
 - \$252 for 3 independent claims over 3 .
- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 1320.**

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RESPONSE TO MISSING PARTS WITH PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Assistant Commissioner for Patents

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Sir:

In response to the Notice of Missing Parts having a mailing date of April 4, 2002, applicants enclose herewith a copy of the signed Declaration. Also attached are an Assignment Transmittal Letter and Claim for Priority.

The period for response having expired on June 4, 2002, applicants hereby petition for a one month extension of time.

Attached is a check in the amount of \$ 1,430.00 covering the required \$ 740.00 filing fee, the \$ 130.00 fee for the late filing of the declaration, \$ 198.00 for eleven additional claims and \$ 252.00 for three additional independent claims, and \$ 110.00 for the extension fee.. The Commissioner, however, is authorized to charge deposit account 18-2056 (or credit any overpayment thereto) for any deficiency in fees required to maintain the pendency of this application.

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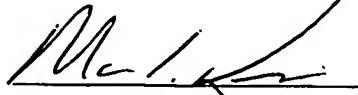
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Any questions related to this application should be directed to the undersigned attorney of record at 703-726-6020.

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